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510(k) Summary of safety and effectiveness.

This summary is submitted in accordance with 21 CFR 807.92

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Trade name of Device	NF MediTENS PLUS
Common name	
Classification name	Transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulator
Identification of predicate Device.	Rehabiliticare Promax

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Description of the device.

The MediTENS PLUS is a portable two-channel battery operated transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulator. The device is intended for prescriptive use per 21 CFR 801.109.

It comprises of the device and two colour differentiated lead wires, which connect to four skin surface electrodes.

The device is powered by a 9-volt (type 6F22) battery located in a compartment to the rear of the device with a detachable battery cover.

The device is supplied with a set of adhesive electrodes, a carrying case, the user instruction manual and a battery.

Built in safety features are clearly outlined in this submission, which greatly reduce the possibility of mis-use.

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Intended use.

The MediTENS PLUS is intended for use with a wide range of patients. It is intended to effect non-invasive stimulation therapy for the symptomatic relief of chronic pain and relaxation of muscle spasm

Technological comparison

The MediTENS PLUS is similar to the Promax device in that it delivers a stimulation signal, which is almost identical with similar parameter settings.

Non-clinical tests.

The MediTENS PLUS was designed to, and has been independently tested to IEC 601-1: 1998 +A1: 1991+ A2: 1995, IEC 601-2-10:1987, IEC 601-1-2:1993. Bio-Medical Research LTD adheres to recognised and established industry practices and all devices are subject to final performance testing. A Hazard analysis, risk analysis and failure mode effects analysis have been carried out for the device.



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Mrs. Michelle Sawyer
Bio-Medical Research Ltd.
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Re: K014020

Trade/Device Name: Neurotech MediTENS PLUS, Type 290
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 882.5890
Regulation Name: Transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulator for pain relief
Regulatory Class: Class II
Product Code: GZJ
Dated: April 10, 2002
Received: April 15, 2002

Dear Mrs. Sawyer:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

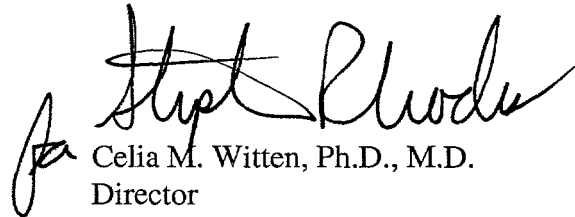
If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050. This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k)

premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 21 CFR Part 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Celia M. Witten", is written over the typed name.

Celia M. Witten, Ph.D., M.D.
Director

Division of General, Restorative and
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Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
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Enclosure

Indications for use statement

510(k) number (if known):

Not available

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Device Name:

**NeuroTech MediTENS PLUS,
Type 290.**

Sponsor Name:

**Bio-Medical Research Ltd.
(NeuroTech is a division of Bio-
Medical Research Ltd.)**

Indications for use.

The MediTENS PLUS is indicated for:

- **The symptomatic relief and management of chronic intractable pain. It is also an adjunctive treatment in the management of post-surgical and posttraumatic pain. The device has no curative value and should only be used in conjunction with Medical supervision.**

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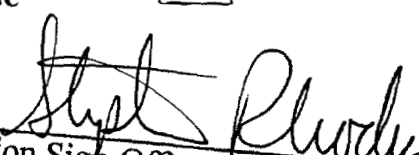
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Prescription use



Over -The -Counter- Use




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